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Enclosed Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/657,060

Our Reference: NGB.080REI

Dear Examiner Pang:

Enclosed is a Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, which we request that you enter and which should place the above-referenced case in condition for allowance.

Thank you in advance for your kind consideration on this case.

Very truly yours.

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 31, 2005, Applicant submits the following remarks:

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.

An Appendix/Attachment including a Supplemental Reissue Oath/declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.175(b)(1) is attached following page 3 of this paper.